



WHITE NOTLEY AND FAULKBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

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**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF WHITE NOTLEY AND FAULKBOURNE
PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY 28 MARCH 2017
AT WHITE NOTLEY VILLAGE HALL AT 7.45 PM.**

Present: Cllrs: Bright, Daniels, Fisher, Galione, J Harrison, N Harrison, Smith & Wagstaff.
In the Chair: Cllr Bright.
Clerk: Angela Balcombe.
Also present: County Councillor James Abbott and two members of the public.

17/35. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

Apologies were received from Cllr L Harrison

17/36. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING.

The minutes of 28 February 2017 were approved as a correct record of events.

Proposed: Cllr N Harrison. Seconded: Cllr Daniels. All agreed.

17/37. PROGRESS CHECK.

The replacement lamp column in Vicarage Avenue to have an old style light fitted rather than an LED fitting.

17/38. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS.

To receive any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests, Other Pecuniary Interests, or Non-Pecuniary Interests relating to items on the agenda. No interests were declared.

17/39. WHITE NOTLEY SCHOOL COUNCIL.

The Council welcomed members of the White Notley School Council to the meeting. They explained how the School Council worked; they have a suggestion box that enables everyone to contribute, this works very well and helps towards the success of the school. The School Council also arrange fund raising events and vote to decide which charity to support. A question and answer session followed.

17/40. PUBLIC FORUM.

Broadband – a member of the public told the Council about a new broadband service (Essex Wi-Fi) which he has had installed which enabled a faster service.

17/41. REPORTS.

District Council – apologies were received from Cllr Bebb

County Council – Cllr Abbott has reported a number of highway repairs to ECC including more than 20 potholes and the edges of the road breaking away in Station Road. Fly-tipping issues will be raised at the next Local Highways Panel meeting.

17/42. PLANNING.

Application No: 17/00387/FUL. Alter elevations and change of use of Dutch Barn into two dwellings, lay out parking and amenity areas, including change of use of agricultural land to domestic garden, widen track, alter site access to Church Hill, grade adjacent field to form driver visibility splay, form passing place, 2 x turning heads and bin standing area, and alter ground levels.

Location: Land Adjacent Stanfield Meadow, Vicarage Avenue, White Notley. No objections.

Application No: 17/00088/TPOCON. Notice of intent to carry out works to tree in a Conservation Area - Ash - fell because of proximity to the house.

Location: The Vicarage, Church Hill, White Notley. No objections.

17/43. FINANCE.

The following cheques were approved for payment and signed:

101906 £201.00 HMRC (PAYE)

101907 £394.42 A Balcombe (Salary/Office Expenses £284.43, Norton Anti-Virus £59.99, Newsletter £50.00)

101908 £10.00 White Notley Village Hall (Hire)

101909 £96.00 Acumen Wages Service (£24.00 March Salaries, £72.00 Year-End Filing)

101910 £36.00 CPRE (Annual Subscription)

101911 £30.00 J & M Landscapes (Grass Cutting Play Area)

D/D £64.74 E-on (Street-lighting)

D/D £53.28 A & J Lighting Solutions (Lighting Maintenance)

17/44. CORRESPONDENCE.

None

17/45. INFORMATION EXCHANGE / NEXT AGENDA ITEMS ONLY.

A reminder of the refuse vehicle dates:

Saturday 1st April - starting at Faulkbourne Village Hall at 8am

Saturday 22nd July - starting at The Green, White Notley at 8am

Saturday 14th October - starting at Faulkbourne Village Hall at 8am

- Allotments – need clearing and one seems to have been abandoned (report to BDC).
- Bin near notice board – not fixed to the ground.
- Path near bungalows – there is a trip hazard where the pipe line has been laid (report to Greenfields).
- Dog mess is still a problem.
- A reminder to residents that when walking on road it should be on the side facing oncoming traffic.
- Apologies were received from Cllr Daniels for the April meeting.

17/46. MEETING DATES 2017.

23 May (Annual Meeting preceded by the Annual Assembly, 27 June, 25 July (Faulkbourne), 26 September, 24 October (Faulkbourne), 28 November, 19 December.

All meetings are on the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7.45pm except December's meeting which is a week earlier.

THE MEETING CLOSED AT 8.40 PM

SIGNED (CHAIRMAN):

DATE: